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1925-6

File No. 1-25

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Previous References ( )

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12-21.

Later References

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Serial Nos. Eighteen

Part B for January.

SUBJECT

Question of transferring the silk-fostering filiatures to the Industries and Commerce Department

M.C.595/En.3

17th July 1925.

My Dear Mr.Srinivasiengar,

Thanks for your letter of the 16th instant, enclosing papers relating to Sericulture. For the present, we need not make any change and if you see no objection, the matter may be brought up for consideration after the Dassara. I have, however, no objection to take up the question of the transfer of the filature to the Industries and Commerce Department and all arrangements for the sale of silk. This may be brought up for consideration at the next meeting of the Council. I am sending a copy of this letter to the Chief Secretary. The enclosures to your letter are returned.

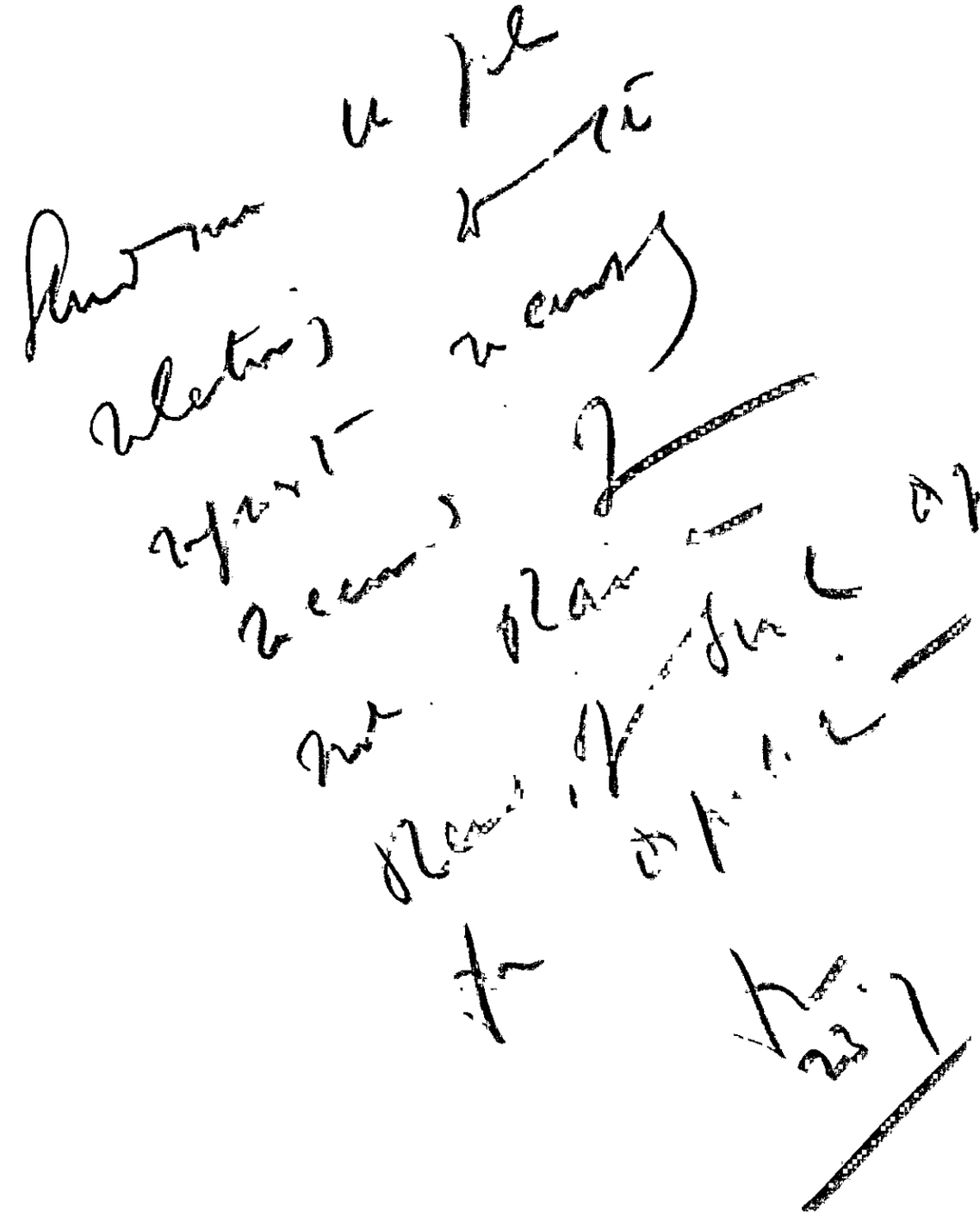
Yours sincerely,

K.R.Srinivasiengar,Esq.,M.A.,
Member of Council.

EWU.

No.M.C.596 dated 17th July 1925.

Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments, to the Chief Secretary to Government for including the subject in the Agenda ~~in~~ for the next meeting of Council.



submitted again
The file has been sent
to the Dir of Ind unofficially
for favor of opinion on 21.7.25
under Dewan's orders.

23.7.25

Subject:- 6

Question of transferring the Filature to the Industries and Com Department.

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

Further production of raw silk for sale may be stopped (unless they can produce at less than market rate), and attempts made to sell the filature. I & C Deptt. may be asked to take over the silk for use in the weaving factory, or for sale at market price.

23.7.25.

Revenue Secretary with Compts

24.7.

P.M. Crisp.

Please put up draft

Rev

3 Copies for Council

Rev Dept

27/

4) I have put up two drafts - one to the Dir of Agri and the other to the Dir of Ind & Commerce - In view of the fact that the orders now under issue relate to the closing

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of the filature the matter may perhaps be referred to H. H. for information. The purchase of the filature plant was sanctioned by H. H. Please see file 151 of 20 put up. If this is approved a D for "may" be sent after the letter put up are issued

5) Draft for approval

28/7

6) Please show to Mr. Jones the file sent to I+C. Director unofficially. The Chief Secretary has inserted the words "Mysore Coir etc" in the wrong place. This refers to sale of filature & not production of silk & maybe Mr. Jones inserted after filature in the formal note. The Director will have to be told frankly that filature is to be continued only if cost of production can be reduced so as to be less than market price of silk & if there is unlimited demand for silk & the Govt cannot

A.S. 10.

7) Sir, a D.O.

D.O. to the Dir of Ind & Comm

Sd
29/7

Serial No.

9) Sibbld with a D.o despatch.

10) Please sign & submit
Issued D.o. No. 2c. 553 of 29-7-25.

Resubmitted 30/7

891/29/7

11) Seen. The G.O. to Director of Agr. may issue at once & need not await reply from Dir. of Industries to the unofficial refce.

12) The G.O. to Dir. of Industries may also issue if this Govt has no financial objection to the proposed letter; & Sahib Wadia adds or modifies that he may make, in order to make it clear that the boys have to be sullen to the Agr. & not Industrial Bnaches.

13) If Industries Dir's reply is meantime rec'd to unofficial refce & any change is req'd please resubmit

Ldc
30/7

14) Please sign as suggested

MP
30/7

Flag M

Approved
MP
30/7/25
CSR

A/C. File No. of 19 25.

To

The Dr of Agriculture.

Letter no. 631. of 30.7.25.

Requests him, for reasons Stated
to instruct the Sericultural Supdt t
Stop production of Silk for Sale
at once; to hand over the accumulat
Stock of Silk to the Dr of I+C an
to Submit definite recommendation
in respect of disposing the filature P

15) Resolved as directed in para

ms 30/7/25 Subs & favour of remarks on
the letter to the Dr of I+C. (Fl

Ref Para 12 above.

Fin Secy

WG 30/7

and no remarks to offer on mod 31/7/25
the draft.

Any loss on acct of the filature has
of course to be charged to the head
Agriculture. The Dept of I and C has
only been required to dispose of the
accumulated stock of Silk and it
cannot be expected to bear
any loss. Apart from its nature, the
filature, so long as it is owned and
worked by Govt, should form part
of the Agricultural Dept under whi
Sericulture is also brought and
transactions connected with
including adjustment of loss
should appear under the

G.R.S. III-2]

File No. of 19 25

General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No.

17 Subj: Annual Returns — (Rep: Pol.)

1)- Whether the Rep: to the Dn: Mgt: I.C. may issue it for circn:—

Rec'd Dn

18 I am sending the enclosures herewith & the Despatch for issue

19 I agree

20/5/25

1078/5/8

Pl. see in related Corr.

P.

Sent on Sealed Covers as ordered.

NB 7.8.25

O/

Director of Intelligence

No. 7594-S.7/8/25.

S. Cabled to the Govt. of India will be required that the Statistics for Calcutta Police including Detectives in the Suburbs & the Govt. Railway Police may be required to furnish the Statistics called for in the Statistical Abstract.

G.R.S. III—3]

Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not inte

Confl Jm 6!

Rec'd with Enclosures

1 I think there was a note in the file that the Chinese Girl should be sent to Hospital as stated was sent to Hospital, but this was not followed up.

2 It seems necessary to enquire the facts & the case should be stopped pending these being known

3 Please obtain Dr Cameron's orders in the matter.

Lee
6/6/25

4 Mr Penrose.
Letter will be sent to Dr Cameron
Appointment
has arrived.
5 If Approved a Letter will be sent to

Rec'd 6/6/25

NB.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

25

26 Answered 6/6/25

Mr Upton
M.B.S.S.

(File value Upto 1
Members A. A. on 13.8.25

27/Rs. 1004 May
please inform Mr
Rs 500 Krumbegal that
he may close with
the offer from Dawan
for sale of Sisal
after taking the
necessary precautions
about the
amount immediately
on delivery,
without any drawback,
& that special
A. orders will follow
Sec
13/8

Speed & immediately
Dewan
action. By 1st Member

1367
13.8.25

28/Sim. Letter
& the statement is
sent for
13/8

P.C.

D. No. P. 14 Dated 13.8.25
to the Director of Agriculture
in regard -

By
13/Sir Govt
Dewan for perusal.
Dewan
perused

13/8

Sec
13/8/25

Sec
for perusal
20 Sec
13/8

Dewan

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Routine Notes.

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Sub^d for formal orders, in the
in refce to the other connected
Issue of the Silk Filature, it is
ascertained, have not been returned from the
Dewan's Office to which they were submitted
by the Secretary, with a D.O. from Mr
Krumbiegel, in regard to offer of the above
French firm—

2 The point for orders is noted in
The last para of the above D.O. of the Dir—
The latter alternative may perhaps be approved
in the circumstances reported by Mr Krumbiegel—
The formal orders which it is sate,

Routine Notes:

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the Rev Secy's letter d. 13th Aug '25,
ll follows, has not yet arrived
the file is not available:—)

Immediate action on this:—
Her— are required, as the Din
epeats that he has not despatch
ick, pending order of Govt on
n present letter—

Rev by
II nd member)

1702
20/8

20/8/25

2/8

32 The Ist D.O of the
Kurnegal Sub
ave been found.
The price has already
ne down by 2 or 3 Rs!
on calcn.

Ue
21/8/25

a/s.
21/8

(1.30pm)
21/8/25

33 The D.O. referred to, has been
Sub with the main file (v. the
Closure of file Notice), by the Secretary
to the Dewan: it is informally ascertained
that the whole file has been sent by the Dewan
to HH.

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Kind attention is invited to Para 1. above
where this fact has been noted— Also Para 4.
wherein the point of action—

Rev by
II nd member)

22/8/25.
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G.R.S. III.—3]

Routine Notes.

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D. No. 963.

27 The D.O. letter was received for noting the price quoted in it. It is considerably more than what is quoted — 10 as 19 Rs.

35 The present price as quoted is also above the Indian market rate which is 13 or 13/8 Rs. There is no loss.

36 The firm seeks — maybe quoted whether we — shd accept advance of 75 p.c. or have the whole amount deducted. The former seems preferable. We have to pay interest at 12 p.c. on Bank rate.

See 22/8

37 Orders may issue on terms of firm's letter. Have done. File seen. Subject see

38 It is not necessary to obtain any advance from the party. The article may be allowed to be sold in the usual course and the sale proceeds realised in the usual course. The special Order/Ring advance of Rs 10,000 may be continued. It is necessary until the value of the consignment realised

5.9 24/8

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Yours) with compliments.

D.O. No. P. 19 A 23-8-1926 to Mfg: D. of Agri.

Orders issued as per Secy's opinion. The resolution to be

22/8/26

Rec'd 7 pm 22/8

G. R. S. III—3]

ROUTINE NOTES.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Lee
25/9/25

Dewan). In Kurt Bunsel
2
25/9

41. Jan
11/8
7.8
2

W
9/8

~~These orders approved~~
~~should be sent to the Indian Trade~~
42 Formal orders accepting
the offer from France for
the purchase of Silk have not
yet been issued passed as the
main file on the subject has not
yet been received back from
the Dewan. May the return
of the file be awaited?
28.5.9.25.

Sd
for

Rev 6/7 43
1/9

Sir B Lee
28.9.25
30.9.25

OBR. DEP.

INDUSTRIES & COM.
BRANCH.

W 6/9/25

N. B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

D.O. No. 71
Exec rec file

THE PALACE, (14
MYSORE.

23rd September 1925.

My dear Sir,

I am directed to return, with thanks, the files forwarded with your D.O. letter No.P.C.14 dated the 13th August 1925.

Yours sincerely,
Mirza M. Ismail

Rajmantra Dhurina

Sir Albion Banerji, Kt., C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Mysore.

Explanation—Column 1 shows the Serial No. maintained for the purpose of this statement.
Column 2 shows the Official No. and date of the reference of the Officer submitting the case to Government.
The entries in column 6 should be made neatly in pencil and altered from month to month.
In column 7 should be given explanations of any long delay,
Cases when disposed of should be scored across neatly in red ink.
This statement should be continued from month to month being brought up to date each month.
Every three months the statement should be faired, all cases disposed of being omitted, and new Serial Nos. entered.

From whom received	Date of receipt in Secretariat	Subject	Where pending	Remarks
[illegible]		Request for sanction for the [illegible] of [illegible] additional staff and appliances on the Chamarajpet and the Chickmagalore Industrial School	Finance Dept.	[illegible] 7/11

13th August 1925.

14a

Dear Sir,

Ser 7-26-4

With reference to your D.O. letter to the Second Member of Council regarding the offer received from France for the silk in stock in the Filature at Mysore, I am desired to inform you that you may close with the offer after taking the needful precautions about obtaining the amount immediately after delivery without any difficulties. Formal orders will follow.

Yours sincerely,

To

G. H. Krumbiegal, Esq., F.R.H.S.,
Offg; Director of Agriculture in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Copy of the above forwarded with compliments to the Director of Sericulture with reference to his letter no. Ry. 1300 C of 12th August 1925, in supersession of the previous order on the subject.

for Secy

18.1.58
25

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45. Submitted with a draft order at page [illegible] for approval.

46. [illegible] a draft [illegible] be put up as noted in para 2 of page 1 for orders.

Does not necessary [illegible]

47. [illegible] is being separately

Seri-2-25-b. now before the chief Secy-

2.10.25 48

Rev h/

9/10

19 The correspondence has gone on "Do", being confidential. The first being of 20.8.25. H- dated [illegible] Do official Go at that stage it may [illegible] Do Sir has reported that the Do agn has intimated to him that no block is to be available for handing over after [illegible] Rama is effected. A copy of Do letter dt has been sent to Do Sir. Can then any other [illegible] only landing points [illegible]

For orders in para 45 & 46.

2nd member

9/10

9/10

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50 (1) The Dir. may be asked to refer. Whether all the deal has been sent to D. Trade, G.T. the price named

(2) Also the Question putting that under Mombasa was disposed of may be answered

(2) Details of Cost of prod. have been furnished by Mr D'Souza. Files are pending re this Question

Ag
5/10/25.

Draft noted with reference to para 5 (1).

As regards sub-para 2 above, the Question transferring the Estate to the Dpt. does not appear to have been finalised, that is now being Considered. Sale will be finalised. Private persons unless the Cost of prod. can be brought down below the market price (V. also Min. and Council Resolu. page 3, as amended by Members minute in para 6- page 4.)

With regard to sub-para 3 the Chief

Note
Council
Opinion
Ag 28.7.25
Print.
to
15/10

Serial No

D.1647
Seri. 2-25-b

(Mr D'Souza)
Secretary has called for certain Audit Reports and Balance Sheets which are separately under submission to the Secretary.
6.X.25.
7/10.25
D.O. addd: please issue & submit

Issued
no. D.C. 2454 & 7.10.25.

3329
13/10

55 Resume above issue.
10.10.25.
56 To proceed (of Para 52 & 53) after issue.
R Secy

57 If approved, this file may perhaps be closed.
2nd morning
13.10.25

58 Why - When all these 3 matters in previous minute still pending? any steps taken to be taken?
14/10/25

59 The following questions are pending
(i) Whether article silk has been sold to France and the pr

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Consider this file dealing with these two questions?

MD 17/10

6) There is a separate file (Seri. 2-25-b) relating to the details give Cost of production of Silk and that file is referred to Chief Secretary. Ref. Paras 57 & 58.

KB. 19-10-25. Rev Sec. MD 19/10

b2 Secy. to Govt. Pub. Works Department

Question for disposal of. Matter must happen.

20/10

MD 20/10

Dis question, as it is a matter for the Govt. of India to decide that the Cost of production is less than the market price]

Secy B file 25.11.25

b3 Information about the Sale of Silk France has not yet been received from the Director of Agri.

b4 Reminder required for this.

KB. 2.11.25. b5 Advd. MD 2/11

b6 Issued 2/11/25

BRANCH

B file 27/11/25.

Issued No 2939 dy. 2/11/25

Do. letter no Dept. 2168 dy 18.11.1925 from the Director of Agri. furnishing information about the Despatch of Silk to France.

b7 Subject for personal

P.S.O.

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74 Second Member's orders dated 12th December 1925 in file no A&E 157-25-2 re action to be taken on the Demani's Tour notes of July 19 with special reference to the Agri Depot at Doddaballapur:

"Please submit files re ---- and sale of silk in France". Inf. K.-B.

File submitted as directed reminder for the detailed information will be sent on 24th inst. 16.12.25.

Rev. Sec'y 16/12

2nd Member 16/12

17/12

5586 17/12

Sec'y B file 29-12-25

10.1.26

75 Seen 16/12

16/12/25 18/12

76 Demani orders in file no Seri. 62-25 2 1.

The sale of silk in Paris may be arranged for at once by lowering the prices, if necessary. Draft. Inf. 6.4.26.

Draft. news - Inf. 6/4.

77 Secy's note - a draft for orders. 6.4.26. Kind attention is invited [Mr Kumbojee's letter 11.8.1926 also].

Please see Ko. 15.1.26 Reminder from no. 7.C.48739 20.1.26.

Draft Demani's no. 9.C.7035 3.10.4.26. Seri. 62-25-4

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Seri. File No 7 of 1925 (21

Serial No 12

Letter no. Rec. 214 dated 14th June 1926 from the Director of Agri. forwarding copy of Seri. Supdt's letter of 16th June 1926 reporting on the recent opening Sale of Silk in France.

(Fr.) 1430 lbs of Silk were despatched France for Sale and it is not clear how much has been actually sold or how much has been realised. The Supdt. merely states that the price realised works out to over Rs. 13-4-0 per lb.

Submitted for perusal. (78)
Seri. 26.6.26.

Please see D.O. enquiry of the Supdt, about the quantity Sold & the quantity on hand. (The nos. given in the Cablegram, are perhaps the nos. denoting the bales. What is the quantity contd in each bale?)

WR 27/6

79 Draft submitted
Seri. 27.6.26.

80 Approved. Please issue & submit.

WR 27/6

Issued. no — WR 29

81 Submitted for perusal.
Seri. 29-6-26 (Sericulturist)

WR 29/6

82 Please pay the P.N.D. and return for record.

Submitted for perusal.

RJ 5/7

83 The reply of the Supdt has also been received today. Please put up.

WR 5/7

eral and Revenue Secretariat

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6d The Superintendent of Servantsmine reports that

(1) 13 bales of 1430 lbs of Silk have been despatched to France

(2) 10 bales have been actually used by the firm, the remaining 3 bales being on their way

(3) 493 lbs of Silk were in stock at the filature at the close of October 25

(4) and that no information has been received from the Agents regarding the sale of the Silk.

6g Subd with reference Para 5 (b).

7 D. Information about 5 D(c), has been since received and the Director of Agri. is being addressed as to why the filature should not be closed down in case the cost of production cannot be reduced

18-24-11-25. Subd for formal—

Rev Sec

2nd Member

4785/23-11

7f Secy.

72 Removed for detailed note by S/C after a month

24/11

7g The 2nd Member has called for this file in connection with (AE 157-25-2) and is therefore submitted (18-25-12-25)

24/11

7h Where is file AE. 157?

18/12

GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT 24 NOV 1925 INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE BRANCH

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Letter no. 5 dated 2nd July 1926 from the Supdt. of Sri forwarding details of Silk sold in France.

84 Out of a total quantity of 1430 lbs Silk sent to France for Sale,

550 lbs have been sold, and

880 lbs remain unsold.

The price of the article sold has not yet been realised and according to the present rate of exchange, the value of the Silk sold will be about Rs. 7200,

[13-2-0 × 550 = about Rs 7200]

Submitted for perusal.

Lib. 6.7.26. First M) WP 6/7/26.

85 What is approximate loss or gain?

6/7/26

86 Please put up the correspondence available here. If not obtain it & bring from the Ex. Supdt

6/7. WP 9/7

Letter no. 408 of 5th July 1926 from the Sri. Supdt. forwarding copy of his letter to the Director of Agri reporting that the balance of Silk in France has been sold

87 The price of 880 lbs of Silk sold in France may be about Rs. 12,2 Altogether, all the Silk sold in France may fetch about Rs. 19,000/-

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88 The Cost of production of Silk Sericulture was about Rs. 18/- per lb and it was sold partly @ about Rs. 13-2-0 and partly @ Rs. 13-14-0 per lb. or roughly at of about Rs: 4/- per lb; the loss. in connection with this Research is likely to be about Rs. 5700.

Lib. 9.7.26

89 The above figures are only Approximate.

Seri Agri)

90 The Silk in Cocoons was sold in two lots — the first one of 550 lbs for Rs. 7200 approximately & the second of 880 lbs for Rs. 12210. Total receipts are about Rs. 19410. The cost of production was about 18/ per lb or Rs. 25742 The loss is thus about Rs. 6330 roughly. Correct figures will be separately obtained

inst member.

This Concern is shall be kept worked at a loss. Please Submit to Govt for info.

12 Noted

Govt to take steps as suggested.

Forwarded

First Member.

Secretariat 2-25-14

1430 x 4 = 5720

Please Circulate

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93) Please work up the total loss on this Concern from the beginning & send a copy to Supdt Tuti Dis. with the intimation that Dewan wishes to see the Supdt about the matter.

Dr
16/7

A.S.
RB
16/7

94 Co. Working up UP 16/7/26

95 The total loss sustained by the Factory from its beginning is about Rs. 7800/- as made out from the General balance sheets sent to Govt. Vide details in the Supdt.'s put-up, but in the special report recently sent to Govt. the Compiler estimates the loss at about Rs. 14,600/- the details for which are not available and cannot be ascertained as the Special Auditor is absent on leave.

96 A draft asking the Dir to instruct the Secl. Supdt to see the Dewan is sent for orders-
Dir. 19.7.26. Sec'y Agn) UP 20/7/26

97 Issue draft as revised, keeping copy for us.

98 Please also get details of loss from

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Seri File No. of 1925.

Serial No. 14

To the Director of Agri. - Do. no. 5-5-28/22

Asks him to instruct the Supdt. of Seri. to mark on the demand at an early date with all relevant references relating to the Silk Filature, and in the meanwhile to send a Statt. showing the half yearly results of the working of the Filature from its Commencement.

Letter no. Rec. 2169 18th June 1926 from the Director of Agri. forwarding copies of the Seri. Supdt's Communication of the date of Sikh and the remittance of the amount by the Treasury Trsy.

100) Subd for perusal. The actual amount credited to the Treasury is not yet ascertainable.

101. As already stated in para 9 above, the details for the total loss could not be got from the Comptroller's Office or the Concerned Auditor in a short time; if appd. the Statt. called for from the Dir. of Agri. will be annexed

106 (23.7.26. 102 Subd for perusal. All the Silk reels has now been sold -

Sec'y Agri). 24

104 As Please

Dy Regr. Subd - 3.7.26

106 Issue 24/7

28.7.26

Serial No. 17

Letter no. Rec. 15'5' dt 31st July 1926 from the Director of Agri - forwarding a Statement - Showing the half yearly results of the working of Fisheries from its commencement up to the end of December 1925.

107 About 1630 lbs of Silk were sold in France for about Rs. 19,410/- as against the expected amount of Rs: 25740/- (The decrease is largely due to the fall in the value of the franc).

108 The Member was pleased to observe that the Concern (Fisheries) was still being worked at a loss and referred the file to the Dewan for information.

91- for 23.

Seri
The Supdt in a personal conversation told me he was seeing the Dewan on the 4th inst.
WP for 4/8.

109 The Dewan expressed his desire to see the Sericultural Superintendent about this.

110. The Statement showing the half yearly results of the working of Fisheries is obtained from the Superintendent of Seri. and put up for perusal and orders.

KS- 3.8.26. Seri Agri) WP 3/8/26.

111 The total loss is Rs. 13706 acc'd to Statement SII to end of Dec. 25.
Final
Member RR 9/8

WP 3/8

12 The nett loss on the Fisheries for 4 years & 4 months is nearly 14,000. Please submit to Dewan.
Dewan RR 5/8 dee 5/8/26 WP 9/8

1432/4/8

AN'S OFFICE.
Received
5. AUG. 1926
No. 902

Serial No.

117

I have discussed the question with both the Director & the Superintendent Japan with whom the silk farm is necessarily associated & without which it is impossible to bring the silk manufactures under the control & supervision of the dept. I feel that apart from this aspect with the silk farm, which does not fall in view in the light of a commercial undertaking, it will be necessary to have the silk for the weaving of the khaki cloth. I have discussed this also with the Superintendent who will make his proposals in the course of Govt. when they may be carefully considered.

JM
5.8.26

First member, RR 6/8 HEP 6/8/26.

Ldc 7/8/26

RR 7/8. HEP 9/8

114 The entire quantity of silk at France has been sold and action has to be taken to write down the value of stock or to write off the accounts the amount of loss incurred in this transaction. By appointment Dir will be asked to initiate this

Serial No.	
A	actual loss incurred with a view to write it off the accounts. This is the only question for Rs. 9, 8-26. / orders in this file.
	"15" A report has been rec'd regarding A) above, today. Please put it up. WG 9/8/26.
18	Letter no Store. 214 Dte 348 5-8-1926 from the Dir. Supply. Stating that Rs. 6111-4-0 have been credited to the accn. price of 1 Mysore Lorries the cost price sold in France and India. The price realised works out to about Rs. 124 a lb.
	116 Sent for perusal; the Supdt. first reported that the bills passed were Rs. 13-14-0 a lb; but now the responsible is worked out to about Rs. 124 a lb. The entire Cost has not yet been cleared. Sent in Court 2 ppars 114.
Owing to the fall in the exchange value of the franc.	Rs. 10-8-26. 117 Please ask enquiring the actual loss over the transaction. WG 10/8/26
	118 Draft. Sent. for appl. 118-10-8-26 See Agn) WG 10/8 11/9/1926 120 Issue WG 11/8

WD 01264 —GPB—40,000—17-12-25

Sen. File No. 799 3404/7 App. F. III—2] of 1925 (29

To

The Director of Agr.
N.W.F. Circle
with reference to (18) Requests him to Report for the information of Govt. the total loss to Govt. over this transaction with necessary details.

REV. STARRAT
19 AUG 1926
USTRIES & COMMERCE
BRANCH.

from the Dir of Agri.
No R.O.C. 216/HC 34 of 25-26 dt 4/12/26
forwarding copy of letter no 1836 dt 29/11/26 from the Superintendent Seri Station stating that the net loss to Govt by the sale of silk in France is Rs 72894/9/-
121. For perusal & orders.
Ref[e] para 117 above.
6/12/26. 122 Submitted for perusal. The loss has to be written off the accounts.
Sec'l D)

123 The Poss. may be written off.
unfortunate experiment
Rs 72894-9-0.
CRs 10-12

1st member) 124 Agree.
Please Submit to Dewan. This relates to a closing Concern. The assumption that great achievements made by sellers in France!
11/12 CRs

1925
10/12

Recorded in Secret
Record and Index

General and Revenue

Gen. File No. 3604 of 1925

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125 Submitted for perusal

126 A typed note showing the loss due to depreciation is put up. It was at first represented that there was an order at Rs 19-8-0 per ~~[illegible]~~ Elle and later on it was stated that the firm wanted 90 days for effecting sales. As a matter of fact the sale was sent over 180 days after receipt in Lyon. The value of the francs was tumbling down rapidly in the meanwhile

CRD
18.12.26

Dewan)

WB 20/12

127 The loss due to [illegible]

[illegible]

2/1

128 Put up for the meeting please

CRD
21.12.26

WB 21/12

129 The matter was discussed at the meeting yesterday.

130 Please get sanction to write off, as agreed by the members above.

WB 24/12

131 Secy. Sanction for appl.

WB. 27.12.26. (Sd) Secy D)

WB 27/12

Dn.

132 I think it has been pointed out also that his first letter that the quantity was sold at a certain price has in error.

Lee
30/12 Revised

(2) Loss on account of sale of silk in France.

133. The Superintendent explained that the loss on account of the sale of silk in France was entirely due to the depreciation of the French franc. Arrangements had since been made in the Filature for the manufacture of silk required in the Indian markets, and no attempts would be made in future for the sale of silk in Europe until after the exchange had been stablised. The Filature was not working at a loss at present: the cost of product per pound was about Rs.12 and the selling charges Rs.12-10-0 per pound.

LE OF FILATURE SILK IN FRANCE.

About July 1925, the financial position of he Government Silk Filature was not altogether atisfactory. There was a large accumulated - tock of silk in the Filature, much of the work capital was locked up in such stock and in the hape of outstandings. The cost of production as also higher than the level of the market - rice of the silk of the quality produced. The uestion of the future working of the Filature nd the disposal of the accumulated stock were nder the consideration of Government.

2. About this time, Mr. Krumbiegel, Direc f Agriculture, intimated to Government in his etter No.Roc.264 Con. dated 11th August 1925, n offer from Messrs.Chabrieres Morel & Co., of yons to purchase the stock (1430 lbs) at 320 francs er kilo. This was duly ordered to be accept nd the silk was sent to France immediately. T irm could however sell the silk only in June a uly 1926.

3. Of the total quantity of 1,430 lbs sen 550 lbs were sold in June 1926 at 3 francs per kilo, and the balance 880 lbs., in July 1926 at 365 franc per kilo.

4. The following statement will serve to ive an approximate idea of

A. the cost of production of this quan of silk.

B. the estimated receipts in August 19 when the offer of the Lyons firm was ordered to be accepted and

C. the actual sale proceeds.

Cost of production of 1430 lbs

	Rs
at rates varying from 15-13-8 to Rs.18-13-4 per lb...	Rs.23,127-10-0
Incidence of transport charges to France	800- 0-0
	Rs.23,927-10-0

Estimated Receipts - August 1925.

for 1430 lbs at 320 francs per kilo . . . . . 2,08.000 francs

or roughly Rs.27,885/- net

or

Rs.26,455 (excluding estimated transport charges).

(Exchange being 750 francs = Rs.100) roughly.

Actual Sale Proceeds.

i) For 550 lbs at 350 francs per Kilo = 87,500

ii) For 880 " " 365 francs per kilo = 1,46,000

Total Rs.16,638-1-0 net.

(exclusive of transport charges)

(Exchange varying from 1324 to 1100 francs per Rs.100/

(NOTE 50 kilos = 110 lbs.)

It will be seen fom the statement above, that the offer from France was advantageous at the time. By the time however, that the silk was actually sold, though there wad a slight rise in the prices of silk in France (& to that extent was advantageous to us) there was an abnormal fall in the rupee value of the franc. As such, the net receipt in rupees was only Rs.16,000/- and odd.

The Director of Agriculture in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to G.O.No.I.&.C.7366/A&E 170-24-7 dated 30th April 1925 directing that steps should be taken to reduce the high cost of production of silk in the - Filature at Mysore and to dispose of the accumulation of stock, and subsequent correspondence on the subject, I am directed to state that the present position of the Filature is not at all satisfactory both because of the high cost of production - and of the difficulty experienced to dispose of the silk. As the present cost of production is higher than the rate at which silk of similar quality is offered for sale in the market, I am to request you to instruct the Superintendent to stop production of silk for sale at once ~~unless the cost of production can be brought down below the present level of market prices~~.

In regard to the accumulated stock of silk on hand, it may be handed over to the

Director of Industries and Commerce who has been instructed to take over and dispose of the stock at current market rates after retaining what is required for the needs of the Government Weaving Factory. ~~The matter should be treated as Immediate~~. As the Filature has passed the stage of experiment, and as already private enterprise has been forthcoming in the matter of putting up filatures, the question of disposing of the Filature Plant to private persons may be taken up and definite recommendations submitted for the consideration of Government. The matter should be treated as Immediate.

I have etc.,

28.7.25

Secy. to Govt. Rev.Deptt.

Memo 632 dt 30/7/25.

Copy to Comptroller.

I am directe

for your information a letter addressed

the Director of Agriculture to-day in r

gard to the disposal of the silk in sto

in the Filature at Mysore and to reques

you to take over the stock immediately.

Such portion of it as may be required f

use in the Government Weaving Factory m

be retained by you and the balance dis

of at current market rates. The amoun

realised by the sale of the silk to th

Government Weaving Factory and others

should be promptly remitted to the Trea

to the credit of the Filature.

I am to add that the disposal of t

ilk is a matter to which you should gi

our urgent and personal attention.

I have etc.,

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "INDUS COM."

In reply please refer to
No. G 130: C

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE

Enc. to D 804 - INDUST.

CONFIDENTIAL

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR,

Dated, Bangalore, the 13th Augt 1925

Seri. 7-25-3

FROM

P. G. D'SOUZA, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore,
Bangalore (India).

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Revenue Department,
Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to Government letter No. IC. 759/Seri. 7-25-2 of the 7th August 1925, asking me to take over the stock of reeled silk in the Mysore Silk Filature, I have the honor to state that I addressed the Director of Agriculture to intimate to me the quantity he held and in reply to my request I have received the enclosed ~~the~~ demi-official communication.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
P. G. D'Souza
Director.

Sub for Annal

Secondly / Copy of D.O. WP 14/8/25
to Dir of Agr.
Sub ha[illegible] Secy to Govt
Please do so at once
in reply to this,
& this supersedes
the previous order

14/8

14/8

Dri. to Secy
WP 14/8
Do W Copies
D.O. 1058 Cy. 1578/25 -
Dis. Copy of letter No. 12.8.25 - WP 14/8

Copy of D. O. letter No. ROC. 214 Conf. of 25-26 of the 12th August 1925 from the Offg. Director of Agriculture in Mysore, to the Director of Industries & Commerce in Mysore, Bangalore.

Your D.O. No. H. 344 of even date. We are just filling an order from France and so far as I know this will take the balance of stock in - hand. Re: later reelings or any other stock in hand I shall speak to you on my return from Mysore in a few days.

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Every three months the statement should be faired, all cases disposed of being omitted, and new Ser

Serial No.	Official No. and date	From whom received	Date of receipt in Secretariat
1	Letter of S. Kanjeevaiah Naidu	Submits certain suggestions for the promotion of industrial training in the Travancore parts of the State	1/10/26

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
MYSORE STATE

D. O. No. Roc. 264-Con. of 25-26.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR.

Bangalore.....Aug. 11....*192* 5

Dear Mr. Chandy,

I have just had a wire to say that in reply to our negotiations with the Agent in France, an order has been received for 12 bales at Fr. 3,320 per kilo. This is just the quantity we have on hand and the price works out at over Rs. 19-8-0 per lb. and deducting say Re. 1/- per lb. for transport, we still sell at Rs. 18-8-0.

I request you to direct that Government Order No. I. C. 759/Seri. 7-25-2 dated 7th August 1925 may be held in abevance and authorize me to send the silk to France.

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Copy 38/10	The Collector		Re Income tax payable by Messrs H & Co on their profits received by them	Rev Dept 3/1/13	Comm. pee 15

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File No. 7-25 F

Diary No. of letter replied to .....

Do No. I.C. 1098

To The Director of Ins.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter no. G-13 C of 13.8.25 forwarding copy of Dy. letter no. 21489/28/25 from the Dir. of Agr. in regard to the disposal of Fisheries Silk, I am desired to forward herewith for your information copy of Dy. letter no. 21489/28/25 issued by the Dir. of Agri. in this matter. This supersedes the previous order on the subject.

Date of issue 15/8/25

Signed by for V. V. Ghangrekar

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Examined by .....

Com. memo. called with his Office letter No. IC 759/Secn. of the 14th Aug 1925.

Dt. 15.8.1925

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over

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
MYSORE STATE

Sen 7-25-6.

GEN. & DEV. SECRETARIAT
963
20 AUG 1925
INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE
BRANCH.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR.

Bangalore, August 18, 19

ır Sir,

With reference to your D.O. (Confidential) .P14 of the 13th instant, regarding the disposal o r stock of silk in France, I have now ascertained at the usual terms in the silk trade are 90 days lowed for effecting sales. The agents however ıvance 75% on receipt of goods if desired by the ller and in that case they charge interest @ 1% ctra over and above the Bank rate.

The Superintendent of Sericulture works ou ne price at Rs.17-8-9 less Re.1/- to cover freight tc. The Agents Messrs. Chabrieres Lorel & Co. ar firm of world-wide repute and I am of opinion tha

Form of the Monthly Arrears Statement

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With reference to your Confidential D.O.No.Seri.7-25-6 dated the 18th August 1925 regarding the disposal of silk in France, I am desired to state that in the circumstances explain-ed by you Government approve of your alternative proposal. It is not necessary to obtain any advance from the firm. The article may be allowed to be sold by the Agents and the sale-proceeds realised as early as possible. The special working advance of Rs.10,000 may be ~~continued~~ retained if necessary until the value of this consignment is realised.

Yours sincerely,

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29/8/25

To

G.H.Krumbiegal,Esq.,F.R.H.S.,

Offg: Dir. of Agriculture -

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File No. 7-25

Serial No.

Diary No. of letter replied to ....

No. 1.C.2454

To The Director of Agri.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Dear Sir,

I am desired to invite your attention to correspondence ending with my D.O. letter and D.199 of 25/8/25 re the disposal of Filature Silk in France and to enquire whether all the Silk has been sent to France and its price obtained. The favour of an early reply is requested.

Yours sincerely

Date of issue 7/10/25

Signed by M.V.V. Chari

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Examined by

18.7.10.25

SUBJECT.....

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 2. 11. 25

Signed by Mr. V. Uthaya

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Section Seri

File No. 7-25

Seria No.

D.O No. Sc. 2939 of 2/11/25.

To The Director of Agrl.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to invite your attention to my D.O. letter No. Sc. 2456 Seri. 7-25 of 7th October 25 and to request that favour a very early report as to whether the accumulated Stock of Silk has been sold at Salem and if not the reasons therefor.

Information should also be furnished as to the price at which finished silk

over

Telegraphic Address,
" AGRI., BANGALORE. "

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
MYSORE STATE
INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE BRANCH.

D. O. No. Roc.214/Confl. of 25-26.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR.

Bangalore....18th.Nov...*192* 5.

Seri.7-25-8.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O.No.I.C.2939-Seri.7-25 dated 2nd instant, I send herewith copies of letters Nos. 1556 and 1575 of 12th and 13th idem from the Superintendent of Sericulture furnishing details of silk exported to France and the balance of stock remaining on hand. The Superintendent reports that no information has yet been received from the Agents in France about the sale of the silk that has already reached them.

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasachar, Esq., B.A.,
Assistant Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department, Bangalore.

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Serial No.	Official No. and date	From whom received	Date of receipt in Secretariat
9/16	14 April 16	Re Accounts of Town dues by Mr. Illytchaich	7. 2/16

[illegible]

Letter No.1556 dated 12th November 1925 from the Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore, to the Offg.Director of Agriculture in Mysore, --- Bangalore.

In reply to your memo No.Roc.214/Confl. dated 5th November 1925, requesting information in regard to the silk bales despatched to France, I have the honour to state that 13 bales of 13/15 silk weighing in all 1430 lbs of silk (net) have been despatched to Messrs.Chabrieres Morel & Co., of Lyon for being sold there. Of these 10 bales have reached them and the other 3 bales are still on their way. No information has yet been received from the Agents in regard to the sale of the silk that has already reached them.

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II. Letter No.1575 dated 13th November 1925 from the Superintendent of Sericulture, Mysore, to the Offg.Director of Agriculture in Mysore, --- Bangalore.

In reply to your letter No.Roc.214 Hc.34 of 25-26 dated 26th October 1925 requesting information in regard to the stock of silk on hand at th Filature, I have the honour to submit herewith a list showing details fo the total stock of silk on hand at the Government Silk Filature at the e of October 1925.

The stock is composed of 13/15 silk which is enough for one bale of silk and this will therefore be arranged to be shipped to France in a fe days. 100 lbs. of 28/30 and 11/13 silk which is included in the total stock have been reeled to order and will be supplied in a few days.

The remaining balance of nearly 250 lbs. is composed of various odd sizes and will have to be disposed off in the Indian market as favoura ble situations arise.

Information in regard to the quantity of silk shipped to France has been furnished in my letter No.1556 dated 12-11-1925.

Silk in stock at the Government Silk Filature at the end of October 1925.

Sizes.	Quantity.
40/45	43 lbs. 25 tolas.
30/32	88 "
28/30	70 "
White Hybrid.	
13/15	48 " 15 "
Mysore.	
11/13	30 "
18/20	6 " 24 "

Mysore.

13/15		141 lbs. 5½ tolas.
	Total stock	493 lbs. 34½ tolas.

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"Copies"

A. Krishnaswamy
Offg. Director of Agriculture.

D.OLetter No.I.C.7035/Seri.62-25-4 dated 20th April 1926 from the Secretary to Government, Medical & Agricultural Deptts. to the Director of Agriculture in Mysore.

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I am directed to invite your attention to yo letter No.214 dated 18th November 1925 about the despatch of 13 bales of silk to France and reque that immediate steps may be taken for the sale of this silk, If necessary, the price may be lower

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
MYSORE STATE.

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In reply please quote in full the Nos. and indicative symbol given below.

Roc.214-Hc.34 of 25-26.

Bangalore,
June 19, *192* 6.

24 JUN 1926

INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE

Ser 62-25-6

FROM

G. H. KRUMBIEGEL, Esq., F.R.H.S., etc.,
Offg. Director of Agriculture in Mysore,
Bangalore.

GENL. & REV. SECTION
Rs. 9C
23 JUN 1926
G. D. SECTION.

To
R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Medical & Agricultural Departments,
Bangalore.

Ser 7-25-12

Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No.I.C.7035/ Seri.62-25-4 dated 10th April 1926, re. the sale of the silk bales sent to France, I have the honour to forward for information of Government copy of letter No.D.O.4362 dated 16-6-1926 from the Superintendent of Sericulture, Mysore reporting on the result of the sale of silk therein referred to.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Offg.Director of Agriculture.

D.O.No.4362 dated 16th June 1926 from the Superintendent of Sericulture, Mysore, to the Offg.Director
Bangalore.

I have this day received a cablegram from Messrs. Chabrieres Morel & Co., as follows:

" We have sold 55,62,66,70,72,73 and 74
to inspection

The price works out to over 13-4-0 per lb., and the loss on this consignment will be very much less than what the Comptroller anticipat

****
"C O P Y."

Offg.Director of Agriculture.

GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation sheet draft form.*)

I am desired to
invite your kind reference
to your D-O letter no 4362 dt
16-6-26 to the Govt of Mysore
in the matter of the Sale of Silk
in France and to request
you to kindly intimate
us (the value realised
the quantity sold), & the
quantity on hand.

Yours Sincerely

MD
2/6

N. Raman 11/6 copy to AD(B)2
Supdt Sericulture

DEPARTMENT OF SERICULTURE

MYSORE STATE

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MR. N. RAMA RAO, B.A., B.L.

Tel. Address: SERI.

GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT
5-JUL 1926
INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE
BRANCH.

OFFICE OF THE SUPDT. OF SERICULTUR
IN MYSORE,
EXHIBITION BUILDINGS.

Mysore, 1st July 1926
2nd.

958 Ser. 7-25-13

Dear Sir,

In reply to your D.C. No. I.C.114/Seri.7-25 dated 20-6-26, I furnish below the required information.

The following is the decoded text of the cablegram received from our Agents in France in regard to the sale of our silk bales in France.

"We have sold 55,62,66,70,72,73,74, @ 350 francs per kilo subject to inspection." (The numbers are the numbers of the bales.)

Of the seven bales sold two (Nos.55 and 62) belong to Mr. M.S. Devoji Rao and the other five to us. Each bale contains 50 kilos or 110 lbs. of silk. The value of the 5 bales @ the selling rate of 350 francs per kilo comes to 87,500 francs. Deducting 2 % for commission the net price obtained is 85,750 francs This money has not yet been received from the Agents, (the sales are on 60 days credit by the custom of the trade); and as the value of the franc is fluctuating, it is not possible to forecast just at present the exact amount we shall realise in Rupees in exchange for the francs. At the current rate of exchange the net price may work out to about Rs 13-2-0 per lb.

The total quantity of our silk in France was 1,430 lbs. of which 550 lbs. have now been sold. The quantity remaining still unsold is 880 lbs.

Yours sincerely,

M Rama Rao

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Asst. Secy., to Government,
General and Revenue Departments,

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DEPARTMENT OF SERICULTURE

Eco. 406/11 MYSORE STATE

MR. N. RAMA RAO, B.A., B.L.
Tel. Address—"SERI"

OFFICE OF THE SUPDT. OF SERICULTURE IN MYSORE,
EXHIBITION BUILDINGS,
Mysore, 3rd July 1926.

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GOVT. SECRETARIAT
8-JUL 1926
INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE BRANCH.

REV. & REV. SCOTT.
Br. 4C
7 JUL 1926
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G. D. SECTION.

FROM

N. RAMA RAO, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore,
MYSORE.

Seri 7-25. 14

R. RANGA RAO, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Medical and Agricultural Departments,
BANGALORE.

SUBJECT AND REFERENCE—

SIR,

I have the honour to enclose herewith for favour of information copy of my letter No. 39 dated 5. 7.26 to the Director of Agriculture in regard to the sale of our silk in France.

Please
Submit to Govt
for perusal with U/no
There is better
than last anticipated. Enquiries
separately shall be furnished
would be. RR 8/7.
WD
8/7

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
N. Rama Rao
Superintendent.

DEPARTMENT OF SERICULTURE

MYSORE STATE

No. 39

MR. N. RAMA RAO, B.A., B.L.

Tel. Address—"SERI"

OFFICE OF THE SUPDT. OF SERICULTURE IN MYSORE,
EXHIBITION BUILDINGS,

Mysore, 3rd / 5th. July 1926.

FROM

N. RAMA RAO, ESQ., B.A., B.L.,
Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore,
MYSORE.

To

G.H. KRUMBIEGEL, Esq., F.R.H.S.,

Offg. Director of Agriculture in Mysore,

BANGALORE.

SUBJECT AND REFERENCE—

"Sale of Mysore Silk in France"

SIR,

I have the honour to submit decoded text of a Cablegram received to-day from our Agents in France in regard to the sale of our silk bales there.

"We have sold balance stock @ 365 francs per kilo"

Out of the 7 bales reported as sold in my D.O. letter No dated 16-6-26, 2 bales (Nos. 55. 62.) belong to Mr.M.S. Devoj and the other five to us. After this sale we had 8 bales in France and the present cable gram states that all these have sold @ 365 francs per kilo.

The price in this instance works out to nearly ₹ 13-14-0

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd). N. Rama Rao.

Superintendent.

SUBJECT .....

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 22/7/26

Signed by Mr. K. Rangachari

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Dear Sir,

Govt. have perused Secretariat Report No. 393 5th July 1926 furnishing details about the sale of Sr in France ~~and are anxious~~ Concerned about this, as ~~a loan~~ has been advised to be issued in France ~~through~~ resulting from this transaction The Finance has also been wo at a heavy loss ~~and this~~ affairs should not be allo ~~to continue long~~.

over

I am to request you to

instruct the Secretary Surveyor to

~~[illegible]~~ wait upon him

Commissioner to the next Durbar

about this subject at an early

date with all relevant papers relating to his Petition.

A Statement showing the ½ yearly receipts

from working of the Kolar Gold Fields

Commencement up to the end of June 1926.

arrangements be made for preparing

for the Durbar purpose, a copy

thereof being forwarded to this Secretariat

for reference.

desired to state that
the Dewan desires to
see the Superintendent of Police
in connection with the
working of the Kolar Gold
Mysore and to request you

Prior to this, I am
to call for

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MYSORE STATE.

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FROM G. H. KRUMBIEGEL, ESQ., F.R.H.S.,
OFFG. DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

To R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Medical and Agricultural Departments,
Bangalore.

Ser 7-25-15

SIR,

In continuation of this office letter No.R.O.C.214 H.C.34 of 25-26 dated 19th ultimo regarding the sale of silk bales sent to France I have the honour to forward for information of Government Copies of letters No.39 dated 5-7-26 and 121/26-27 from the Superintendent of Sericulture, reporting about the sale of the balance stock of silk by the --- Agents in France.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Offg. Director of Agriculture.

Letter No.39 of the 3/5th instant from the Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore, Mysore to the Director of Agriculture, Bangalore.

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I have the honour to submit decoded text of a Cablegram received to-day from our Agents in France in regard to the sale of our silk bales there.

" We have sold balance stock @ 365 francs per kilo"

Out of the 7 bales reported as sold in my D.O.letter No.4362 date 16-6-26, 2 bales (Nos. 55.62.) belong to Mr.M.S.Devoji Rao and the othe five to us. After this sale we had 8 bales in France and the present cable-gram states that all these have been sold @ 365 Francs per kilo.

The price in this instance works out to nearly Rs 13-14-0 per lb.

Letter No.121/26-27 dated 8th instant from the Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore, Mysore to the Director of Agriculture Bangalore.

I have the honour to submit herewith the decoded text of a cable received from Messrs.Chabrieres Morel and Co. of Lyon to-day.

" We remit Comptoir National D'Escomptes de Paris 85,000 fran

The details of the remittance are not yet to hand, but it is probe in adjustment of the sale proceeds of the seven silk bales first sold, has been made through the French Exchange Bank in Bombay. According t the existing arrangements the French Bank pays us Rupees in exchange at the current rate of exchange and credits the amount in the Mysore Dewar Deposit Account with the Imperial Bank of India. The money is in due course placed at the disposal of the Government Filature in the Mysore District Treasury, after intimation of credit is received from the Comp roller to that effec

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Section A I E.

File No.

Serial No.

D. O. No. Ic-553 & 29/7/

To

Diary No. of letter replied to

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 29-7-27

Signed by Mr V. V. Charya

Dear Sir

I am desired to request you to kindly return at once the file relating to the Sale of Filature Silk Sent to you for official opinion on the 20th inst.

The matter may kindly be treated as very urgent.

Yours Sincerely

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for Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Offg. Director of Agriculture in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Medical & Agricultural Departments,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.I.C.1053/Seri. 7-25-19 dated 14-8-1926, calling for a detailed report as to the total loss to Government in the sale of silk in Fran I have the honor to enclose copy of letter No.746 dated 28-8-26 from the Superintendent of Sericulture, stating that this information can be given only after receipt of intimation of credit from the Bankers.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Offg. Director of Agriculture.

RR 3/9 For order if the report may be awaited till 15-10-26. 6.9.26

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dsr(3). May be awaited till the end of this month

UO 8/9/26.

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r to state that complete information not available in reg to the amount realised as sale proceeds of silk, as intimation of cred is not yet received from our Bankers for all amounts realised. This formation is called for and the required report will be submitted soc after its receipt.

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"COPY."

Offg.Director of Agriculture.

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SUBJECT.....

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Section

File No. 7-25

Serial No. 12

No. D. 3376 dt 16/11/26

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

To

The Director of Agn.

Sir,

I am directed to invite

Reference to your office

letter no R.O.C. 214/H.C.34

25-26 dated 2nd Septr 26

in the matter of the submn of

a detailed Report as to

total loss to Govt in the

sale of milk in Srinagar

& to request the favour of

very early Reply

I have etc

13.11.26

for Secy Govt. Depts

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 16.11.26

Signed by DN. V. Rangg

for Asst

RJB

12.11.26.

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Issue

13.11.26.

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20th Novr. 26. *192*

No. R. O. C. 214-H. C. 34 of 25-26.

FROM

G. H. KRUMBIEGEL, ESQ., F.R.H.S.,
OFFG. DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE IN MYSORE.
BANGALORE.

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TO
4 NOV. 1926

C. Ranganatha Rao Saheb, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Development Departments,
BANGALORE.

Seri 7-25.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No. D. 3376/Seri. 7-25, dated 16th November 1926 regarding the submission of a detailed report as to the total loss to Government in the sale of silk in France, I have the honour to state that the requisite details have not yet been received from the Superintendent of Sericulture, who has this day been reminded in the matter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Offg. Director of Agriculture.

Subs for perusal
with refce. to il. 19.
16.26.11.26

Please issue a D.O. reminder to Supdt of Seri.
27/11

Reptl. Subd
16.29.11.26

Issue
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Not issued as the report has been sent
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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

Bangalore, Dated 22/7/26

D.O. No. I.C. 532
Fen 7-5-16 34

Dear Sir,

I am desired to state that the Dewan desires to see the Superintendent of Sericulture in connection with the working of the Silk Filature at Mysore and to request you to instruct the Sericultural Superintendent to wait upon him at an early date with all relevant references relating to the Filature. Prior to this I am to call for a statement showing the half yearly results of the working of the Filature from its commencement up to the end of June 1926.

Yours Sincerely,

Draft.

G. H. Krumbiegel, Esq., F.R.H.S.,
Offg. Director of Agriculture in Mysore,
Bangalore.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR.

D.O. No. Roc.155/Hc. of 25-26. 31.

*Bangalore,...*31st..July..*192* 6.

H. KRUMBIEGEL, ESQ., F.R.H.S.,
Offg. Director.

Dear Mr. Ranga Rao,

With reference to your D.O.letter No.I.C.552/Ser 7-25 dated 22nd instant and subsequent reminder of the --- 28th instant, I am herewith enclosing a statement showing the half yearly results of the working of the Filature --- from its commencement upto the end of December 1925.

The statement for the half year ending June 1926 is reported to be under compilation and will be furnished --- soon.

Yours sincerely,

R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,
Medical and Agricultural Departments,
Bangalore.

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Half year ending June 23.	" 67391- 1- 9	40249-3-4	25463-13- 9	— 2499- 0-11 —1678- 0- 8	
Half year ending Decr.23.	" 79528-13- 5	63249-7-10	19138- 4- 0	+ 2858-14- 5	
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Bangalore, August 5, 1926.

FROM

G. H. KRUMBIEGEL, ESQ., F.R.H.S.,
OFFG. DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

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GEN. & REV. SECTT. BR. 7 AUG. 1926 GEN. SECTION.

To R. Ranga Rao, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Medical & Agricultural Departments,
Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to the continuation of this office letter No.Roc.214-H 34 of 25-26, dated 19-7-1926, I have the honour to forward for information of Government copy of letter No.247/26-27, dated 19/20th July 1926 from the Superintendent of Sericulture, reporting on the result of the sale of silk by the Agents in France.

As regards the 2nd para of the Superintendent's letter referred to above, I may add, that I have approved of the action taken by him.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

Letter No.247/26-27 dated 19/20th July 1926 from the Superintendent f Sericulture, Mysore, to the Offg. Director of Agriculture in Mysore, angalore.

In continuation of my letter No.121/25-26 dated 9-7-26 reporting bout the remittance of 85,000 Francs from Messrs. Cabrieres Morel & o. of France, I have the honour to state that information has since een received that the French Exchange Bank of Bombay has paid to the mperial Bank of India for credit of Mysore Dewan's Deposit Account ith them the sum of Rs.6111-4-0 equivalent to 84,580 Francs @ 1,384 rancs for 100 Rupees. The price per lb. in this transaction works out o about Rs.12/-, this result being due to the heavy fall of the franc.

As the Indian Silk Market has also been much disturbed on account f the situation in the foreign market the price of silk here also is alling rapidly; and there is a likelihood of this state of things ontinuing for some time. To avert serious loss under the circumstance am glad I have been able to secure an offer from Mr. G.Subba Rao of losepet to sell about 400 lbs. of 13/15 silk we have in the Filature t Rs.13-10-0 per lb. This rate works out at Rs.1-10-0 more per lb. han has been realised in France, and will secure to us the further enefit of introducing the finer grades of our silk in India. We shall lso be able to sell the last remainder of our accumulated stock. I ave therefore accepted the offer promptly, and delivered to him 110 lbs f silk. The rest is to be supplied to him on indents from time to ime. I request you to kindly approve of my action.

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"C O P Y."

Offg.Director of Agriculture.

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File No. 7-25.

Serial No. 19

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

No. 1.C./05-3

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

The Director of Agri.

Date of issue 14/8/16

Signed by Mr V.V. Aiyangar

Sir,

With reference to your the correspondence ending with your letter no. Agre. 21C Vg. 349 5-8/26 reporting on the results after sale of silk-frame. I am directed to request you to report for the information of Govt. the total loss ~~to date~~ to Govt. ~~in connection with~~ necessary over this transaction, with details as ~~to how you arrive at the~~ figure.

I have

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MYSORE STATE.

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No.R.O.C.214/HC.34 of 25-26.

Bangalore,
4th December 26.
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G. H. KRUMBIEGEL, Esq., F.R.H.S.,
Offg. *Director of Agriculture in Mysore,*
Bangalore.

To

Hanganatha Rao Saheb, Esq.B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Development Departments,
Bangalore.

6 DEC. 1926
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No.R.O.C.214/HC.34 of 25- dated 23rd ultimo, I have the honour to forward herewith copy of letter No.1836 dated 27/29th November 1926 from the Superintendent of Sericulture stating that the net loss to Government by the sale of silk in France is Rs 7289-9-0.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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Letter No.1836 dated 27/29th November 1926 from the Superintendent of Sericulture in Mysore, Mysore to the Director of Agriculture in Mysore Bangalore.

With reference to your memo No.R.O.C.214/Hq/75 of 25-26 dated 18-8-2 forwarding to me copy of letter No.F.D.1053/Seri.7-25-19 dated 14-8-1926 from the Secretary to Government, Medical and Agricultural Departments to you and requesting information in regard to the correspondence to Government over the sale of 13 silk bales in France, I have the honour to state as follows :

Proceedings of the Govt. of H. H.
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read -

Correspondence ending with letter No. No.Roc. 214 H.C. 34/ 25-26 dated 4th Decr. 1926 from the Director of Agriculture forwarding copy of Sericultural Superintendent's letter No.1846 dated 29th Novr. 1926 stating that the net loss to Govt. by the sale of silk in France is Rs.7289-9-0.

Order No. D. 5509- 10 / Seri 7-25-27
Dated, Bangalore, 17/12/1927.

The Director of Agriculture intimated to Govt. in his letter No.Roc. 264 Con. dated 11th August 1925 of an offer from Messrs. Chabrieres Morel & Co., of Lyons to purchase 1430 lbs of silk @ 320 francs per kilo. This was duly ordered to be accepted and the silk was sent to France immediately.

2. The Superintendent of Sericulture reports that out of the 1430 lbs sent to France, 550 lbs were sold @ 350 francs per kilo and that the balance of 880 lbs at 365 francs per kilo as against the offe- of 320 francs per kilo, but that only Rs.16638-1-0 (net) were realised as aga Rs.27,885/- the estimated value of 1430 owing to the abnormal fall in the r value of the franc. [illegible] in the period between the Pat the Director's report and the date of sale

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3. In the circumstances, Government are pleased to direct ~~have to observe~~ that the Director's first report dated 11th August 1925 that ~~there~~ an ~~orderobber~~ had been received for the silk at 320 francs per kilo was incorrect. ~~They are however pleased to direct~~ that the loss of Rs.7289-9-0 be written off the accounts, with the observation

Sd/-
12.1.27
Secy. to Govt. ~~Dev.~~ Deptts.

To

The Director of Agriculture

The Comptroller to Government.